

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No.: 10/605,442

Examiner: Davenport

Filing Date: 9/30/2003

Art Unit: 2609

Applicant: Naismith, et al.

Confirm. No.: 2441

Title: IP Routing Between Modules on a
PLC Backplane

Customer No.: 23,969

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant in the above-identified Application requests a three (3) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 30, 2007. The shortened statutory period of response was set to expire on August 30, 2007. With this Extension, the time to respond is now set at November 30, 2007. Applicant requests that the three-month extension of time fee of \$1,050 be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-3875.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-3875 for any payment deficiencies or overpayments in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on November 30, 2007.

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